

House File 2403 - Introduced

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BY COMMITTEE ON NATURAL
RESOURCES

(SUCCESSOR TO HF 2273)

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to the rescission of an administrative rule
2 relating to the use of certain handguns for hunting deer and
3 including effective date provisions.
4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. RESCISSION OF ADMINISTRATIVE RULE.

2 1. 571 Iowa administrative code, rule 106.7, subrule 3,
3 paragraph e, is rescinded.

4 2. As soon as practicable, the Iowa administrative code
5 editor shall remove the language of the Iowa administrative
6 code rule referenced in subsection 1 of this section from the
7 Iowa administrative code.

8 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Act, being deemed of immediate
9 importance, takes effect upon enactment.

10 EXPLANATION

11 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
12 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

13 This bill rescinds an administrative rule relating to the
14 use of certain handguns for hunting deer. Currently, the
15 administrative rule rescinded by the bill specifies the types
16 of legal handgun calibers for hunting deer in Iowa. The
17 administrative rule rescinded by the bill also requires that
18 centerfire handguns and black powder handguns have a 4-inch
19 minimum barrel length, and centerfire handguns shall not have
20 any parts that extend beyond the back of the pistol grip. The
21 administrative rule rescinded by the bill also prohibits a
22 shoulder stock or long-barrel modifications to any handgun.

23 The bill includes an immediate effective date.